

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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United States of America :

- against - :

John Lhota :

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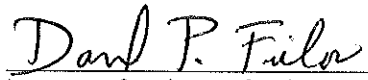
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ROBERT M. LEVY, U.S.M.J.:

CONSENT TO HAVE A PLEA TAKEN BEFORE UNITED STATES  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE ROBERT M. LEVY

United States Magistrate Judge Robert M. Levy has informed me of my right to have my plea taken before a United States District Judge. I have further been advised, however, that I may consent to have my plea taken before Magistrate Judge Robert M. Levy. I understand that I will suffer no prejudice if I refuse to so consent. I further understand that if I do not consent, the District Court Judge assigned rather than the Magistrate Judge will conduct the plea allocution.

After having discussed this matter fully with my counsel, I hereby consent to enter my plea before United States Magistrate Judge Robert M. Levy.

  
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Defendant

  
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Attorney for the Defendant

By:   
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Assistant United States Attorney

Dated: 1/18/24  
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Brooklyn, New York